



04-09-04

3683

188.463

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: : X. Nguyen
HEINZ GREINER :
Serial No.: 09/777,122 : Group: 3683
Filed: February 5, 2001 :
For: LINEAR ROLLING BEARING :

475 Park Avenue South
New York, N.Y. 10016
April 8, 2004

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
APR 15 2004
GROUP 3600

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of March 24, 2004, Applicant requests reconsideration of the application in view of the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are claim 1 to 7, no other claims having been presented.

The Examiner has required restriction between claims 1, 2 and 4 to 6 drawn to a method and claims 3 and 7 drawn to a bearing. The Examiner indicates that the claims are related as to the process of making and the product made and that the inventions are distinct and have a separate status in the art.

"Express Mail" mailing label No. EV 40303327845
Date of Deposit APR 08 04
I hereby certify that this paper or fee is
being deposited with the United States Postal
Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee"
service under 27 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated
above and is addressed to the Commissioner for
Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Wendy - Julie Rindel

4/8/04